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# DAILY WEATHER REPORT

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## SURRENDERS BY THE WHOLESALE CLAIMED FOR THE GERMANS

Norwegian Troops Rapidly Give Way To Advancing Nazi Troops, is Claim

## ALLIES LOSE 2 TOWNS

British Admit Loss of Dombaas and Stoeren, Through German Communiques

By International News Service  
BERLIN, May 1—Wholesale surrender of Norwegian troops to the rapidly advancing German forces in Norway was claimed by the Nazi high command today.

Coincident with announcement of new successes by the German air force in a series of bombardments and aerial battles, military headquarters issued this communique:

"The advance of German troops in Norway continues. Fighting occurred yesterday near Trondheim.

"The number of Norwegian troops which have surrendered north of Lillehammer is far greater than previously indicated. Remnants of the second Norwegian division, consisting of 200 officers and 3500 men, have abandoned their arms. Forty additional British troops also have surrendered.

LONDON, May 1—Basing their findings on German communiques, British officials today admitted the loss of Dombaas and Stoeren and conceded that the allied positions at the central Norwegian front is "dangerous." The situation is still obscure, a high authority said, and there is still no official confirmation that the Germans have taken these two towns.

"But it is possible that both towns are in German hands in view of the claims of the German high command," the spokesman said.

It was pointed out however, that with allied "demolitions and bombing" proclaimed behind the German lines, maintenance of Nazi communication might prove difficult.

LONDON, May 1—A cargo of mines that exploded when a German bombing plane fell at Clacton on the Essex coast was blamed today for the death and destruction done by the crash.

It was announced officially that, as far as is known, three civilians were killed and more than 100 were injured when the plane plummeted to earth. Four German airmen in the plane were also killed.

STOCKHOLM, May 1—Sweden will maintain its neutrality "come what may," Premier Hansson said in a May Day speech today.

The Premier spoke to a large demonstration.

MOSCOW, May 1—Russia is "filled with satisfaction" because the Red army is not involved in the European war, War Commissar Voroshilov declared today in a May Day speech.

"The fact that we stand aloof from the conflagration of the second imperialistic war fills us with satisfaction," he said.

## Committee of '76 To Meet With Commissioners

A meeting of the Committee of '76 of the Bucks County Association has been called for Thursday at eight o'clock p. m., d. s. t., at the County Court House, Doylestown.

Charles Bennett, field representative of the American Society of Planning Officials, will address the meeting. Mr. Bennett was secured through the State Planning Board, as he is devoting a week in Eastern Pennsylvania, cooperating with counties, boroughs and townships interested in planning and zoning.

Walter S. Bishop, president of the Association, will preside.

The reports from the various committees will be made on the progress achieved during the winter towards having a Planning and Zoning Commission appointed by the Bucks County Commissioners.

The Planning and Zoning Committee:

Walter S. Bishop, chairman; Henry P. Bristol, vice-chairman; Charles Meredith, Jr., Mrs. Henry C. Parry; W. Richardson Blair, C. R. Witmer, Charles Biddle, Charles Rowe, Walter Pitzonka, Mrs. William R. Mercer, Webster Shive, John W. Cooper, Dr. J. J. Bridgman, Mrs. Calvin Boyer, Elmer E. Althouse, Frank Fabian, Frank L. Magill, William F. Taylor, Mrs. Martha S. Woolley.

The committee will await on the County Commissioners, Thursday afternoon, to formally ask them for the appointment of the Commission. There is seemingly more and more interest being manifested in planning and zoning, not only for the County, but the zoning of various townships in Bucks County.

## TIDES AT BRISTOL

(Daylight Saving Time)

High water ..... 11:03 a. m.; 11:36 p. m.  
Low water ..... 5:42 a. m.; 6:08 p. m.

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## THIS PICTURE WON



LOUISE HAINES

## CROYDON TOT WINS PRIZE IN PHOTO CONTEST

Louise Haines Awarded \$50 In Bristol Theatre Contest

## SOME OTHER WINNERS

Well, after considerable difficulty, the judges finally selected the winner of the Child's Photo Contest sponsored by the Bristol Theatre. Last night, at the nine o'clock show at the theatre, the winner was announced as Louise Haines, Pennsylvania avenue, Croydon.

Louise is only six months old and she is getting a good start in life with \$50 for her bank account. The first prize of \$50 was given by the Bristol Theatre management.

The picture of Louise, which is reproduced at the top of this column, was declared by the judges to be the most attractive of any entered in the Bristol Theatre Child's Photo Contest. In the opinion of the judges, the photo was declared the "most attractive."

There were a large number of entries in the contest and the winner was not determined until the last minute. The judges went over the photographs carefully and impartially decided the winner.

Other prize winners were: Second prize, Janet M. Clee, Langhorne, R. F. D. No. 1, Trevose Heights, 14 months old; third, Aileen Hopkins, Washington avenue, Croydon; fourth, Margie Jones, 344 Hayes street, three years old; fifth, Robert White, 317 Lafayette street, three years old; sixth, Wayne Clements, 316 Dixon avenue, Croydon, three years old; seventh, ...

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## Bucks County Celebrities Are To Be Considered

"Bucks County Celebrities" will be the subject of the Travel Club when it meets on Friday afternoon at three o'clock, in the club home, Miss Grace Chandler, Doylestown, will be the speaker, with Mrs. Emil Metzger in charge.

Hostesses for this guest day and tea meeting are to be Mrs. Stanford K. Runyan and Mrs. Thomas G. Hawkes.

## MAKE DINNER RESERVATIONS

Members of the Mothers' Association of Bristol public schools who desire to attend the shad dinner on May 8th, are requested to make reservations for the same not later than Saturday. Phone Bristol 3283 or 480.

## What Will You Do About It?

(By "The Stroller")  
That "sight-seeing" trip which we took, and on which we did not enjoy viewing Bristol's dumps and littered yards (which we found numerous), preys on our mind.

We don't mind pleasant things being on our mind, but this ceaseless dumping of cans, paper, cartons, and trash in general, on areas visible to all passers-by, gets on our goat.

Why do the individuals throw trash out in that manner, when there are authorized collectors? Why don't they have more civic pride? And furthermore, why don't the owners of lots that are being filled in with great quantities of trash make a more sincere effort to keep it raked over and burned off, so that the appearance will be neater? We do sympathize with those who don't want dumping on their ground, and who are victims of circumstances. It would keep several men busy watching for the culprits. But in those instances where trash is used for filling purposes, the condition could be greatly improved.

The responsibility is that of everyone who has been throwing rubbish out haphazardly, the lot owners, and those who live near the dumping grounds who might aid in some small way by helping get rid of the trash.

## TODAY'S PET PEEVE

Dumping grounds in areas between the Highway and Otter St.

## LATEST NEWS - - -

Received by International News Service Leased Wires.

## Tornadoes Do Much Havoc

(By International News Service)

Tornadoes ripped through more than a dozen towns and cities in Arkansas, Missouri and Illinois last night and early today, leaving a trail of death and destruction which was obscured by wrecked communication lines.

Estimates of the dead ranged as high as 50, but only 10 deaths had any confirmation.

The sheriff's office at Benton, Ark., reported seven persons were killed at Tull, a small community of about 100 persons 10 miles southeast of Benton in central Arkansas.

A motorist, H. A. Gillis, of Sikeston, Mo., said he saw an automobile containing at least two persons swept over a bridge near Sikeston. Gillis said he was certain the occupants of the car had been drowned.

A Sikeston newspaperman reported he had seen a Negro killed when the tornado collapsed a house near Sikeston.

At least three tornadoes raged over the three States for several hours. The Arkansas twister apparently blew itself out after wreaking its fury on Tull and the neighboring district. In Missouri, the tornado, reported to be 1,000 feet wide at some points, swept northward for about 60 miles in the southeastern portion of the State, then jumped over the Mississippi river into southern Illinois.

## Warn Milk Dealers

HARRISBURG, May 1—The opening day of the milk dealers' new license was brought with a warning from the Milk Control Commission that dealers who have not applied for a license will be subject to prosecution. The warning was accompanied by the announcement of a drive against dairies which operated illegally.

## Six Hurt in Auto Crashes

Philadelphia, May 1—Six persons were injured critically today in three collisions in several parts of the city. Two sailors from the U. S. S. Rhind were hurt in a two-car crash in South Philadelphia. Two other persons were injured when they hit a check line on the parkway and took a piece from the George Washington Monument. Two Negroes were hurt in another crash.

## NEW INDUSTRIES MEAN MORE JOBS FOR PEOPLE

Expansion in Scranton Adds 759 Persons To The Payrolls There

## SOME NEWLY FORMED

HARRISBURG, May 1—As an example of how industrial expansion is providing more jobs for more persons in Pennsylvania, the State Department of Commerce today cited recent industrial development in Scranton.

Thirteen new industries established in the city since the beginning of 1939. They now employ 759 persons with an annual payroll of \$723,000, the Department has been informed by the Scranton Chamber of Commerce. In addition, a number of existing industries enlarged their plants with resultant increases in employment.

Some of the new industries were organized by businessmen of the city. Among them are companies engaged in production of equipment for silk machinery, toothbrushes, printing and engraving, woven rag rugs, and one which was formed last Fall and now employs 100 in the manufacture of phonograph records.

Other companies moved into the area from outside the State. They include paint and cap companies from New Jersey, a wire products company from New York, and a dress company from Puerto Rico.

A wire works company reopened a plant closed for some time and is making wire and iron products and steel casket shells.

To meet increased needs, other plants built additions or new units. A textile mill built a second plant, creating 100 new jobs; a bakery expanded and added 115 employees; another bakery is building a new plant which will increase its payroll from 55 to 75 persons; a silk throwing plant added a new building to obtain space for new machinery; a sugar company erected a new storage-house and added 25 employees; a concrete block company expanded by construction of a two-story building. A laundry and ventilating fan company are building at the present time, and several companies have moved to larger quarters.

"New industries mean new jobs, and enlarged plants mean increased payrolls," said Secretary of Commerce Richard P. Brown. "Scranton has demonstrated that. In many other communities there are opportunities to supply local markets by establishing new industries; and a small plant today may grow into a large plant a few years from now."

## Here and There in Bucks County Towns

Melvin Walper, a teacher in the Robert Morris School, Morrisville, was elected president of the Morrisville P. T. A.

The new president succeeds Mrs. William Fielding and will be installed with other officers at the next meeting on May 28th. A county officer will have charge of the installation. Other officers are: Mrs. E. Wilmer Fisher, Mrs. Fielding, vice-presidents; Mrs. Robert Bayles, treasurer; Mrs. William Hoernle, secretary, and Mrs. E. McClenaghan, corresponding secretary.

The meeting was featured by about 75 students of the lower grades in an elementary school demonstration. It was announced that Mrs. Ruth Mytton's class won the attendance banner. Randolph Ashton, of 800 Crown street, Morrisville, showed his bird and butterfly pictures.

Fine weather conditions resulted in a very large attendance at the sale of

## DEMOCRATIC FEUDS LIKELY TO BOIL OVER

Fight Likely for Control of The Party in The State

## MEETING AT CAPITOL

By Raymond Wilcoxe  
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

HARRISBURG, May 1—Simmering Democratic feuds today threatened to boil over and precipitate a fight for control of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania.

Undaunted by the 100,000-plurality victory of Senator Joseph P. Guffey in his primary fight for renomination, leaders of the anti-Guffey Democrats met at Harrisburg determined to forestall if possible Guffey control of the party. The State Committee will meet this month at Harrisburg, probably on May 21 or 22, for a reorganization meeting. A new slate of officers will be chosen for two-year terms.

Angered by reports that Guffey planned "no compromise" with his opponents who backed Walter A. Jones for the Senator's post, a group headed by Democratic State Chairman David L. Lawrence and Philadelphia city chairman John B. Kelly met to consider a candidate of their own for state chairman.

Lawrence reiterated, however, that he was "definitely" going to resign as chairman and would not consider and run for re-election. Following the meeting, F. Clair Ross, Democratic nominee for auditor general, and G. Harold Wagner, the party's candidate for state treasurer, were delegated to meet with the Guffey forces in an attempt to reach a compromise.

Kelly said he had a candidate for state chairman in mind but did not care to reveal his name for the present.

Luther A. Harr, Philadelphia city treasurer and Guffey campaign manager, is the leading candidate to succeed Lawrence. Others being mentioned in the event of a compromise are Ross; Ramsey S. Black, third assistant postmaster general; former Comptroller of the Treasury, ...

## THOMAS ALLEN BROWN BURIED

LANGHORNE, May 1—Thomas Allen Brown, died Sunday at his home here at the age of 71. The funeral was held Tuesday in the Bethel A. M. E. Church with the Rev. P. L. Abner officiating. Interment was in Mount Olive Cemetery. The survivors are one nephew and one niece. The funeral was under the direction of R. L. Horner.

## THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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A Political Suggestion  
Washington, April 30.  
It has been the generally accepted view that the political party which holds its national convention last has a certain advantage over its rival. It can profit by the mistakes, both of omission and commission, of the opposition—particularly as to platform. It can act with more deliberation and less apprehension. That has been the theory.

HENCE, it was considered smart politics when some months ago Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Farley so maneuvered that the Republicans were compelled to fix a date ahead of the Democrats, though, being the party in power, normally and

household articles held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Briggs, Newtown. All of the articles placed on sale were in very excellent condition, and good prices were received. Approximately 400 persons attended the sale, which was in charge of E. Newlin Brown, Doylestown, who also received the bids. Clerks were J. Wilmer Lundy, W. Aubrey Merrick and William Kirkbride.

Much interest centered around the disposal of a number of Windsor chairs, which sold readily as high as \$17 each. Other chairs brought \$5 each. Many persons also were interested in the disposal of a cherry table, which went to the highest bidder for \$15. An electric refrigerator brought \$18.

A bureau which was in excellent condition brought \$35, and a three-piece living room suite went to the high bidder for \$27. Bidding on an old-fashioned settee was quite brisk and it brought \$23. Rugs sold readily from \$7 to \$16.50 each.

Ten of the 16 Sunday schools of the Second District of the Bucks County Sunday School Association were represented at the 62nd convention of the district, held in the Deep Run New Mennonite Church, near Bedminster. The theme of the convention was "A Faithful Study Brings a New Vision."

Approximately 50 persons attended the session in the afternoon, but in the evening the church was filled to capacity. With Linford D. Gross, Blooming Glen, the president, in charge, the convention opened with a song service directed by Samuel G. Detweiler, of near Dublin.

## Hulmeville Woman Inherits Part of Estate

NEW YORK, May 1—The will of Lidle C. Hartshorne, former resident of Bristol, Pa., who died on March 10th, on file for probate here today with Surrogate James A. Delehanty, leaves half of her property to Floyd Hartshorne, son, of No. 175 Riverside Drive, here.

The remaining half of the property is left to Zeta Brady Woolman of Hulmeville, Pa.

As yet no date has been set for the proving of the document, executed on March 4, 1927, when the deceased was a resident of Bristol, and names the son as the executor of the estate, estimated at about \$2,000 in personality, the exact value of which will be disclosed when, under the direction of the court, the property is appraised for inheritance taxation.

## EDGELY

The following group of men spent Sunday fishing at Barnegat, N. J.: Alfred Rothstein, Fritz Schletter, Arthur Wolvin, Joseph Downsap, Sr., Edward DeKoye, Hershall Culbertson, Albert Lodge, and E. E. Effe.

Turner Ashby, Jr., is confined to his bed with illness.

## PLAN ALL-DAY SEWING SESSIONS FOR RED CROSS

Mrs. F. I. Kraft, Treasurer For 22 Years, Resigns; To Hold Monthly Meetings

## ACTIVITIES PRESENTED

Plans for all-day sewing sessions to alleviate problems of the needy, appointment of a new treasurer, reports of officers, and information as to local work, were included at the meeting of Bristol Branch of the American Red Cross.

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## Former "Gas" Station Proprietor Is Dead

FALLSINGTON, May 1—William H. Harris, 74, a former resident of this vicinity who for 14 years conducted a gasoline station along the Lincoln Highway died Monday at the home of his daughter-in-law in Pleasantville, N. J.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the Horner Funeral Home at Langhorne. The Rev. Henry Cunningham, former pastor of the Langhorne Presbyterian Church will officiate. Burial will be in Evergreen Memorial Park Cemetery.

The deceased was the husband of the late Lillian Harris. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and held the rank of master of arms, First Class Seaman in the U. S. S. Navy. He had seen service on 15 different battlefields and entered the service June 6, 1900, when he enlisted. He was discharged in 1912.

The survivors are one son, Charles; and a grand-daughter, Astella Irene Harris.

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS VISITING WASHINGTON

Fifty-Nine Students Left This Morning On Sight-Seeing Tour

## 3 OF FACULTY GO ALONG

Bristol high school seniors are now sight-seeing in the vicinity of Washington, D. C., 59 having left this morning by train for Baltimore, Md., from which point they travelled by bus to Annapolis, then back to Washington late this afternoon.

The members of the faculty accompanying the party on the four-day journey, are: Superintendent of Bristol schools, Warren P. Snyder, Miss Marian Harrison and Charles Boyd.

In addition to visiting points of interest in Annapolis and the Naval Academy there this afternoon, the group will traverse the Franciscan Monastery in Washington, and then have dinner at the New Colonial Hotel where they will be registered.

Points of interest in Washington that they will take in include: Congressional Library, Lincoln Memorial, Washington Monument, White House, Capitol, and many others; and a journey is to be made to Mt. Vernon.

The class members taking the trip are:

Nancy Phillips, Betty Mandio, Anna Rozat, Zelma Walterick, Mildred Harris, Helen Dugan, Anna Ennis, Sarah Ellis, Virginia Vetter, Jayne Lynch, Pauline Greco, Helen Nash, Mary Henry, Helen Harris, Cecelia Gallagher, Dorothy Ritter, Clara Carabellini, Frances Asta, Clementina Carabellini, Josephine Embessi, Isabel Juliana, Florence Cianciosi, Marie Carango, Jean Angus, Doris Sutton, Daisy Sutton, Bernardine Coyle, Doris Worthington, Helen Cahill, Grace Bigelow, Anna Warwick.

Edward Budzyko, Walter Hardy, Arthur Brooks, Wayne Buck, Frank Di Venti, Francis Kryven, Anthony Rotondo, Wayne Locke, James Dougherty, Danny DiMidio, Danny Pieo, Frank De Felice, William Lynch, Sadio Monti, Cherubini Rossi, Vincent Profy, Silvio Fioriti, Hugh McElroy, John Cocordas, Morris Carter, Arthur Grimes, Kenneth Winslow, Philip Messini, Roy Bailey, Jack Smith, Robert Petrick, Michael Walker, John Perry.

## Mrs. Reba Barnhill Dies At Home Near Fallsington

FALLSINGTON, May 1—Mrs. Reba K. Barnhill, widow of Edward E. Barnhill, died Sunday at her home on the Fallsington-Emile Road. She was 51 years of age. The funeral was private yesterday morning at 10:30 with the Rev. Francis H. Smith, Fallsington, officiating. Burial was in Beechwood Cemetery under the direction of R. L. Horner, of Langhorne.

The deceased was the daughter of the late James and Gertrude Wright. The survivors are one son, Irwin, two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Veisz, Fallsington; and Miss Ruth Barnhill, of Philadelphia. Two step-sons and one sister, Mrs. William Coates, also survive.

## Croydon Man Pays Fine For Having Gambling Machine

Benjamin Ernest, Cedar avenue and State Road, Croydon, paid fines and costs totaling \$18.50 last night, after a hearing before Justice of Peace James Laughlin.

Ernest, it is alleged, had gambling devices in his place of business and continued to have the same after being warned by Penna. Motor Police.

The arrest was made by Private Mitchell of the Oxford Valley barracks.

## TO GIVE CONCERTS

The Ernest Gamble concert party will give two concerts at the 175th District Rotary Conference at Oil City, on May 9th. At the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia, on June 5th, the Gamble party will be the attraction at the annual convention of the Insurance Federation of Pennsylvania.

## TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

Unofficial reading at 7 a. m. .... 50

## SENTENCED TO PAY PROSECUTION COSTS AND RESTORE GOODS

Ernest Gentner, Phila., Pleads Guilty To V & D Warehouse Robbery

## OTHER CASES HEARD

Montgomery County Youths Branded As Chicken Thieves

DOYLESTOWN, May 1—Pleading guilty to burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods, Ernest Gentner, 32, 2716 West Jefferson street, Philadelphia, was sentenced by Judge Calvin S. Boyer to pay the costs of prosecution, restore the goods stolen or pay the value thereof, and serve not less than three months nor more than five years in the County Prison.

Chief of Police Linford Jones, of Bristol, testified that Vincent & Dodson Tire Company in Bristol, was robbed of \$500 worth of tires and a truck October 13, 1939.

While being questioned about another matter, the defendant, Gentner confessed to Philadelphia detectives that he met several other men in a taproom in Philadelphia and accompanied them on an automobile ride which led to the robbery of the Bristol warehouse. He received none of the loot. Several of the other men have been incarcerated but one is still a fugitive.

Gentner admitted having been arrested about 20 times all growing out of drunkenness and fighting charges.

Seven women and one man, all of whom are neighbors, testified he bore a good reputation so far as honesty is concerned.

"Apparently, outside of the scrapes your drinking too much get you into, your reputation, until now, has been pretty good," said Judge Boyer.

His mother testified that he was a "good boy when he doesn't drink." He is separated from his wife and has one daughter about ten years old.

Two Norristown youths, Kenneth Jones, 22, 537 North Borato street, and Joseph Moriarty, 241 East Main street, who pleaded guilty to burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods, which involved the theft of 109 chickens from a Milford township farmer, were sentenced by President Judge Hiram H. Keller to pay the costs of prosecution, pay a fine of \$1 and serve not less than nine months nor more than three years in the County Prison.

"This is not a new experience for you," said President Judge Keller. "Obviously, you were under the influence of an older and more experienced man. Your records show that you have pursued the wrong track. You need a sharp turn and you are going to get it. In plain English, you are thieves and have been ever since you got out of school," said the Court.

The two boys admitted that Hastings C. Dine, of West Pottsgrove township.

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## To Open Peach Blossom Festival

Allentown, May 1—Approximately 100,000 visitors are expected to throng into this area beginning tomorrow, when Allentown and Lehigh counties open a joint three-day peach blossom festival to mark this section as an outstanding American peach-producing section. Visitors will be escorted on tours of orchards and tours to Trexler-Lehigh game preserves at other cities and county parks.

## Guard Against Forest Fires

Philadelphia, May 1—To guard against any new forest fires getting a head start, Pennsylvania and New Jersey authorities today maintained a sharp look-out in wooded sections.

Four of the largest fires in New Jersey are still burning but are now under control, according to an announcement made at Trenton by Fire Warden Sales. The blazes burned over 2447 acres of woodland in New Jersey.

## Mill Street Business Men To Discuss One-Way Traffic

Mill Street Business Men's Association will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock noon in Moose Hall. All members are urged to attend the luncheon-meeting. "Many important subjects will be discussed and the committee will report on a survey questionnaire to determine the effects of one-way traffic on business on Mill street," according to the announcement of Marty Green, president of the association.</



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### BLOW TO NEW DEALERS

Lack of public and Congressional confidence in the New Deal, as it has been carried on by the New Dealers running chief Federal commissions and agencies, accounts for the overwhelming majority by which the House passed the Walter-Logan bill.

The measure subjects to review in the Federal courts the rules governing administration of the boards and agencies. Those headed by ardent New Dealers—appointed by President Roosevelt at the instance of the inner group around him—are aimed at. The Interstate Commerce Commission, Federal Trade Commission and Federal Reserve Board are excepted. But more than 196 bureaus or independent boards are affected.

The origin lies in the outcries against the Wagner Labor Board, controlled by John L. Lewis and the CIO. The revolt spread to every point at which the New Deal, through its various ramifications, came into contact with business. An effort in the House to include the Securities and Exchange Commission in the exemptions was roared down.

The temper of public opinion is reflected by the better than two-thirds vote for the bill in the House, given by a coalition of over half the House Democrats and all but two Republicans. After its passage by the Senate by acclamation last year, President Roosevelt intervened, the New Dealers got busy and the same measure was recalled for reconsideration.

A large favorable Senate vote this year is assured, unless administrative pressure prevents a vote by locking the bill up in committee.

Little can be said for the theory of delaying and hampering executive business by probably innumerable lawsuits. Answer is made, quite sufficiently under the circumstances, that this is the only method yet devised for remedying the injustice done by the New Dealers exercising arbitrary powers and promoting their favorite causes and interests. The bill was drawn by members of the American Bar Association and is generally supported by the lawyers.

There would be no serious thought of such legislation if it could be believed that the New Deal had wielded its great new power fairly. As it is, that belief does not exist and action "regulating the regulators" appears to be imminently near.

President Roosevelt informs a palpitating nation that he will be away from Washington—no news in that—in June while engaging in a three weeks' jaunt of the West, but that there will be no politics in the trip. When Roosevelt's actions are directed—no pun intended—from politics, sun spots will rule the universe.

An insurance company's advertisement asserts that accidents in the home are on the increase. Who do they happen to—the maid? To judge by the papers and magazines she is the only one who stays at home these days.

Ma Ferguson has decided to make another try for the governorship of Texas and makes a not unimpressive start with promises of larger old age pensions and reduced state appropriations.

# NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

## HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, Trenton, N. J.; and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Demme, Philadelphia, paid visits on Sunday to Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. Samuel Black.

Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Hopkins were the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Crouthamel, and sons Leo, Jr., and Raymond, Philadelphia.

The Get-Together Club's monthly luncheon and social hour will take place tomorrow afternoon in Epworth Hall of Neshaminy Methodist Church.

## NEWPORTVILLE

An inspiring service was conducted by the Young People of Cheltenham Methodist Church, Sunday evening, when they took charge of the service in Newportville Church. A quartette of young women, called "The Four Or Us," sang two numbers; also one of the group sang a solo. One young man gave a very interesting talk. Thirty-two young people from Cheltenham were present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dyer, Philadelphia, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Erny.

Miss Edith Davison, Cheltenham, spent the week-end at the home of Miss Barbara Ingraham.

Two new houses are being built on Midway-Emile Road. One is being erected by John Lowrie, Philadelphia, who has a Summer home by the creek.

## UNSAFE at HOME



the other by Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Elmer Stevenson's mother, also of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Raymond Dewees was hostess to the B D D E bridge club on Saturday evening.

Week-end visitors of Mrs. William Clifton were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Beck, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scheffler and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scheffler, Jr., and children, Lois and Gerald, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dixon and daughter Joan, Mt. Holly, N. J., were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weston and son

James went fishing in the bay at Beach Haven, N. J., on Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Reading and daughter Alice, Philadelphia, were guests on Monday of Mrs. James Weston.

The Sunday School class taught by Mrs. Charles Everett met at the home of Mrs. George Schumacher, Thursday evening. Business was discussed and refreshments served.

Frank Everett was host to members of his Sunday School class and the teacher, Miss Ruth Erny, Thursday evening. After a short business meeting, games were played, prizes being won by Edward Kohler and Harry Crawford. Following this, refreshments were served.

## EDGELY

Mrs. Russell Burton and daughter Violet, Edgely; and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Lovett, Tullytown, spent the week-end in Washington, D. C., Mt. Vernon, Gettysburg, and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Marker, Pittsburgh, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Schultz, Trenton, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Ward.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Downson were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marcelles, Princeton, N. J.; also Mr. and Mrs. James Slack and children, Lambertville, N. J.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dewsnap is ill at her home with measles.

## FALLSINGTON

Mrs. Martin Flock and daughter Kathryn were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Flock's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Patty, Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. David Saylor and children, David, Jr., and Marjorie, of Pittsburgh, were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Kate I. Saylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pope celebrated their 11th wedding anniversary on Saturday. A dinner was given in their honor. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wittaker, Mr. and Mrs. Mercer Pauck, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Nice, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pope, all of Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stradling, Fallsington Heights; Mrs. Harriet Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kirby, Miss Andrew Kirby, and Abram Servis.

The Friends First Day School and Bible class will be discontinued during the summer months beginning in May.

Lester White, a senior at the University of Pennsylvania, and Dorothea White, a senior at the Abington Hospital school, were recent visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph White.

Miss Annie W. Whorton has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer B. Wright, near Dollington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Parmar and daughter Mary, Trenton, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruger and children, Morrisville, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buckalew.

The community board met with the library board in the library room, Monday evening. As the community board tendered a resignation as the community board, it will be known as the community home committee, on call from the library at any time.

From January to March, the Fallsington librarian reported, books taken from the library: Fiction, 7857; non-fiction, 3680; periodicals, 515. Forty-eight new books were purchased.

## Plan All-Day Sewing Sessions For Red Cross

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Cross, yesterday afternoon, in the Mill street headquarters.

Mrs. William DuHamel, chairman of Bristol Branch, was the presiding official, opening the session with prayer. Mrs. Frederick I. Kraft, who has served as branch treasurer for a period of 22 years, resigned; she being succeeded by Mrs. E. Linton Martin.

Decision was reached to hold business sessions monthly, starting on the third Monday in September. During the Summer months meetings will be called when necessary.

## Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonsful two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by United Cut Rate Drug and Good Drug stores everywhere. (Advertisement)

## "GRAPES OF WRATH" AT THE GRAND THEATRE THURSDAY and FRIDAY

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Mrs. Marie Holland, executive secretary for Bristol and vicinity, told of emergency relief work, and her many other duties. Miss Frances Landreth, home service chairman, also presented her report, as did also the retiring treasurer.

Mr. Heine, of Philadelphia, who has been aiding during the great need in this section, gave interesting information about Red Cross activities, stressing the need for increased activities.

A decision was reached to have all-day sewing sessions, under direction of the production committee, of which Mrs. Archibald Morris is chairman. These sessions will be open to all interested, and members and friends of the Red Cross are invited and urged to attend when dates are announced later. At yesterday's meeting it was announced that several Edgely residents, also members of church societies in this area, are anxious to help in this manner. Workers will be asked to take scissors and thimbles when the days for sewing arrive.

**Machinery and Tools 61**  
8" TABLE SAW—With motor. Complete \$15. 1 molding trimmer \$2.50. Apply John McDaniel, Dixon Ave., Croydon.

**Trees 63-A**

BERRY BEARING—Holly trees \$1.00 and up. Percy Brown, Bristol R. D. 1, Edgely, near public school.

**Specials at the Stores 61**

LAWN ROLLER—For rent. 75c a day. Wolson's Hardware Store, 404 Mill street.

### Real Estate for Rent

**Apartments and Flats 71**  
6 ROOM APT.—Heat furn., gar. Poss. at once. \$39 monthly. Chas. LaPolla, 1418 Farragut Ave. Phone 652.

APT.—4 extra large rms.; priv. bath contain. running hot water; electric range, h.w. heat, gar. Ph. Bris. 7414

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**Offices and Desk Room 78**

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### Real Estate for Sale

**Farms and Land for Sale 82**  
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**Houses for Sale 84**

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**Lots for Sale 85**

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## LEGAL

### ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Michael Heimbach, late of the Township of Bristol, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, deceased.  
Letters of Administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to  
MARY HEIMBACH,  
Fairview Lane,  
Bristol, Pa.  
HUGH B. EASTBURN, Administratrix,  
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### ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Alice J. Petty, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa. deceased.  
Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to  
EVA E. DONNELL,  
or  
VERA DONNELL,  
Executrices,  
233 Mulberry Street,  
Bristol, Pa.  
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## Classified Advertising Department

### Announcements

**Cards of Thanks 2**

TO THOSE WHO PROVIDED—Automobiles, sent flowers or cards at the time of our sorrow in the death of Mrs. Katie Gentleman, we wish to express appreciation.  
RUTH & MILDRED GENTLEMAN

**Funeral Directors 5**

UNDERTAKER—William I. Murphy Estate, 316 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

MOLDEN FUNERAL SERVICE—Bristol, Pa., phone 2217 or 2169. Within the means of all.

**Personals 7**

WILL THE PERSON—Seen taking Elgin bicycle from in front of O'Boyle's on April 22nd, please return same to avoid prosecution? No questions asked. Ret. to 691 Garden St.

**Strayed, Lost, Found 10**

FOUND—Watch. Owner may have same by identifying it and paying for this adv. Fabian's Drug Store.

### Automotive

**Automobiles for Sale 11**

BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville.

WE HAVE IT!—In our selection of dependable used cars. See us first. Low finance terms. Percy G. Ford Motor Co., 1776 Farragut Ave., Phone 2511.

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### Business Service

**Business Services Offered 18**

GENERAL CESSPOOL WORK—Done reasonably. Phone Bristol 7274.

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ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Balley. Telephone Bristol 7125.

### Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 22

OIL BURNERS—Hot water heat. Plumbing. Nothing down, 3 years to pay. Barth, Croydon, Bristol 7575.

### Repairing and Refinishing 29

IF BROKEN—And made of metal, have mended by electric welding. Tools & farm machinery a specialty. Welding lessons taught. Shop, Newport rd. & Bristol Cemetery, Ph. 2946.

ELEC. REFRIG. REPAIRING—C. V. Schade, phone Bristol 7159.

### Employment

**Help Wanted—Male 33**

AN EXPERIENCED OPERATOR—For 12-inch shaving machine. Apply Tan-Art Co., Beaver St., Bristol.

### Help—Male and Female 34

2 RHUBARB WORKERS—& 2 tomato planters. Wm. A. Rutecki, Bridge-water & Byberry rds., Bensalem twp.

### Instruction

**Musical, Dancing, Dramatic 44**

PIANO INSTRUCTION—Elementary & Advanced Courses. Firman Piano Studio, 242 Mill St., phone 516.

### Live Stock

**Poultry and Supplies 49**

CHICKEN COOP—And feeders, cheap. Apply Wm. Moore, Excelsior Ave., Croydon.

### Merchandise for Sale

**Articles for Sale 51**

TOP SOIL—And fill dirt. Phone Bristol 7475.

RUMMAGE SALE—To be held at 407 Mill St. starting Wed., May 1, by Hebrew Ladies Aid & Auxiliary, Bristol.

### Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers 56

WHY BUY BOOTLEG?—Clean, hard, dependable anthracite. Buck, \$5.50; pea, \$7; stove & nut, \$8. Guaranteed weight. Houser, Bath rd. Dial 2676.

### Good Things to Eat 57

SHORT STEAKS—28c lb. ground meat 15c, brisket beef 15c, brains 10c, tongues 10c, Canadian bacon 30c. John Smith, 113 Pond St.

### Machinery and Tools 61

MYERS WATER PUMP—Outfit. Good cond. Can be seen in operation. Phone Bristol 9943.

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## PARTIES

## SOCIAL EVENTS

## ACTIVITIES

Appreciative Audience Is  
In Attendance at Recital

The senior recital of Miss Louise Acuff, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Acuff, Langhorne, which took place in the assembly room at George School, Newtown, on Sunday evening was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience.

Miss Acuff, who is a student of Julian McCreary, was assisted by Lewis Mammel, trombonist; and Ellen Jane Lyon, pianist.

## Events for Tonight

Card party in Hulmeville lodge room, sponsored by Wild Rose Rebekah Lodge, 8:30 p. m.

## In a Personal Way -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baner, who have been spending the winter months at the home of Mrs. Albert Stout, Wood street, left for their home in Cornwall Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Jr., and Mrs. Theodore Bennett, Belmar, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Market street. Mr. and Mrs. Goslin and guests were visitors on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Grebe, South Langhorne.

Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roche, Locust street, were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott, Philadelphia; and Mrs. Frank Kinney, Pottstown.

Mrs. Horace C. Cox, Hulmeville, spent a few days during the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, Lafayette street.

Mrs. M. Harkins, Philadelphia, spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Grace Wollard, Buckley street.

Mrs. E. McAdams, Burlington, N. J., was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Waters, Madison street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keys and daughters Betty and June, Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, Wilson avenue.

Mrs. Robert Chew, Haddonfield, N. J., was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. DeLong, North Radcliffe street.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bruden and Miss Mary Helsel, Swain street, were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Helsel, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Donohue, Miss Marion Mulholland, Philadelphia; Mrs. Lucy Risdon and son, Morrisville; Mrs. Christmas, Trenton, N. J.; and William Halpin, Roosevelt street. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Decker, Sr., and sons Harry and William, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Decker, Jr., Folcroft; Asa Helsel, Tacony; and Mrs. Mae Mulholland, Roosevelt street.

Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Radcliffe street, spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Chandlerin, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Minnie Hibbs and son John.

## ON THE SCREENS

## BRISTOL THEATRE

"Meet Doctor Christian," the first in a projected new series of films starring Jean Hersholt, comes to the Bristol Theatre today, with an outstanding cast featuring Dorothy Lovett, Robert Baldwin, Enid Bennett and Paul Harvey.

Laurel and Hardy return to the screen in "The Flying Deuces," now at the Bristol Theatre.

This time the veteran comics have taken to the airways as a background for their misadventures, a thrilling and hilarious climax being provided in the final sequence, when the boys, as two Foreign Legionnaires sentenced to die for desertion, take flight in an endurance ship.

## GRAND THEATRE

Most important screen news of the year is the announcement that "The Grapes of Wrath" will be presented at the Grand Theatre on Thursday.

The film version of John Steinbeck's stirring best-seller was wildly acclaimed at its world premiere run at New York's Rivoli Theatre.

Under the direction of Academy Award Winner John Ford, adventures of the Joad family are reported to have been brought to the screen with all the power, drive and humor that characterized the book.

## RITZ THEATRE

Picturing hilarious adventures of a traveling salesman and a runaway heiress in a story which blends music with gay romance, "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love" comes today to the Ritz Theatre.

Tom Brown and Peggy Moran carry the love interest in the film, which brings to the screen the song sensation, "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love," sung by glamorous voiced radio songstress Betty Jane Rhodes.

"GRAPES OF WRATH"  
... AT THE ...  
GRAND THEATRE  
THURSDAY and FRIDAY

## Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

O God, we believe Thou art the Spiritual Reality behind all things and in all things. We thank Thee, Father, that Thou hast not left us in doubt and darkness but hast spoken to us in Thy Son. May this day be filled with the radiance of Thy presence. Amen.

Pine Grove street, are spending this week with relatives and friends in McAdoo and Stockton.

Miss Helen Appleton, Mrs. L. Vanzant and daughter, Dorothy, Swain street, William McGuire and Miss Katharine Thompson, Morrisville, enjoyed a motor trip to Washington, D. C., and Mt. Vernon, Va., on Sunday.

Miss Emily Landreth, Radcliffe St., was the guest of honor at an informal party, Sunday afternoon given by the Misses Patricia and Emilie Guiler, at the Belgravia Hotel, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Behrens and daughter Julia Lee and son Robert, New York City, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp, Harrison street.

Mrs. Harry Headley and Miss Gertrude Pope, who have been residing at Wood and Washington streets, moved on Monday to 115 Jefferson avenue.

Granville Stephenson and daughter Rose, Mrs. Vance Betz, Jefferson avenue, and Russell Moore, Bath street, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Doherty and Mr. and Mrs. Cordingly, Haddon Heights and Audubon, N. J., on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard James and son Robert, Bridgeport, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Zarr, Oak avenue.

## TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Middletown—John W. Bodenschatz to Harry K. Edelman et ux, lots.

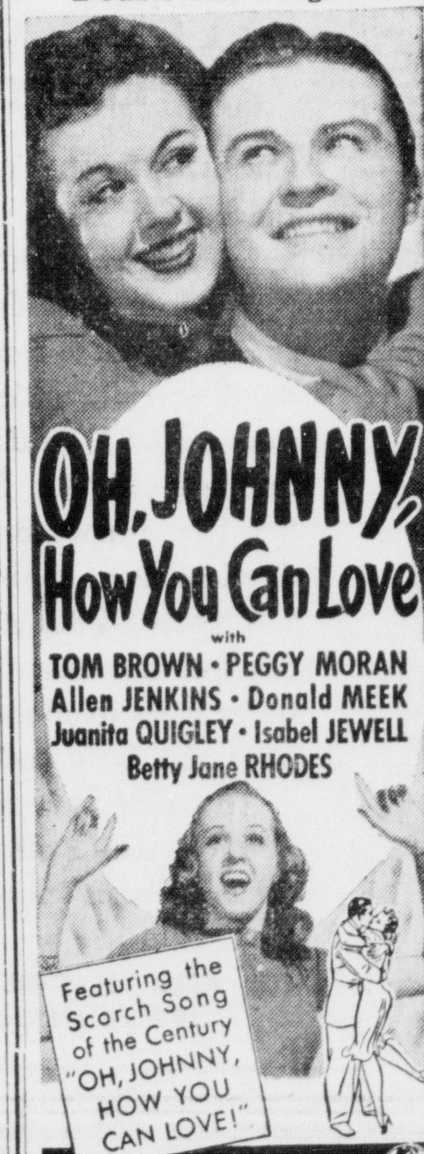
Middletown—Ella Marlos Jackson to Edward J. Pierson, lot 1100.

## The Great Game of Politics

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as well as political nature not to strive for it. Therefore, it can be taken for granted that the Republicans will go as far as they dare

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-RITZ-  
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Summer Flowering Bulbs  
Fill Many Garden Roles

Summer bulbs are taking a more important place in the garden each year. This is especially true of the gladiolus, everybody's flower, which may make the garden gay from July to frost by planting a week or ten days apart starting in early May.

The montbretia is a handsome bulb allied to the gladiolus in brilliant reds, oranges and yellows, nearly hardy, that deserves wider acquaintance. It is a handsome garden subject and has more graceful stems for cutting than the gladiolus. The tuberose is needed, at least a few bulbs for its delicious scent.

Fairy lily bulbs (Zephyranthus) tucked in here and there will send up their pink and white starry blooms continuously through the summer.

For shady beds or for shaded porch boxes the magnificent tuberous begonias are the best possible subjects either in double or single. For pots and boxes for shaded porches protected from sun and rain, the huge bells of the gorgeously colored gloxinias offer no cultural difficulties and magnificent display.

The yellow calla is another beau-



Zephyranthus or Fairy Lilies.

tiful summer bulbous subject for beds and boxes. The beauty about bulbs is their sure fire blooming quality given any kind of a fair chance to grow.

to convince the people that success of the Republican ticket is the one way to avoid involvement.

AS pointed out in this place yesterday, to avoid being made to

seem the war party in the campaign, the Democrats practically will be forced to take a stand against the extension of credits to the Allies, or the extension of any other form of help beyond what we

are now giving, almost—if not quite—as emphatic. Thus, to what many thoughtful men think is a national disadvantage, both parties on this overwhelming vital issue will reflect the urge of their politicians to get votes rather than the opinion of their more enlightened leaders.

BUT it is not only with the problems of the war that this party competition in the matter of platforms operates badly. It will be almost equally unsatisfactory on such questions as Federal aid for the farmers, relief for the unemployed, labor relations and old-age pensions. Behind each of these proposals there is a strong, organized, militant, voluble and numerically formidable group of voters. Inevitably, the Republicans, with the opportunity to make the initial bid and the fear of being outbid by the Democrats two weeks later, will go, as in the matter of war involvement, just as far as they dare in the effort to win support of all these groups. Careful not to put themselves in position to alienate business opposition to the New Deal, they nevertheless, if they can, will make it impossible for the Democrats to outpromise them without going off the deep end.

INEVITABLY this puts pressure on the Democrats, at least, to

match the promises of the other party to these organized voting minorities, the support of which neither believes it can hope for success without. Take, for example, the old-age pensioners. Undoubtedly there is in every State a considerable number of voters whose political interests are exclusively concentrated on this issue, and who, regardless of all other considerations, will vote the ticket which promises to be most liberal along these lines. In both parties there are now more than a few members of Senate and House (such as Senator Pepper, of Florida) who owe their seats to support of our so-called "senior citizens." In the coming campaign they will be very anxious to retain—or, at least, divide—that support.

NATURALLY, their weight in the convention will be used to have their party make as attractive a bid as possible. The fact that the Townsend Plan convention will be held in St. Louis almost immediately following the Democratic convention and that Dr. Townsend already has announced that his followers will not, as in 1936, fool again with a third party but this time support the major party candidate who seems most sympathetic to their cause, is well calculated to stimulate the competitive bidding.

POLITICS being what it is and politicians what they are, it is impossible not to agree that this competitive bidding for the minority groups is a bad thing for the country. It promotes demagoguery in both parties and causes the general interests to be subordinated to the special interests. Competition, of course, is healthy and unavoidable, but the kind of competition which forces one party to take the lead in catering to uninformed mass sentiment and forces the other party to follow for fear of losing indispensable support is neither wholesome nor desirable. It diminishes political honesty and candor; promotes insincerity and humbuggery.

PERHAPS there are practical reasons why it could not be done (though none occurs at the moment), but a healthier form of competition could be had if both parties were compelled to adopt and promulgate their platforms simultaneously. At least this would deprive the organized minorities of their opportunity to force the party that leads off to bid high for fear of being outbid and then to blackmail the other party into matching the bid. And it would lessen the tendency to yield to dangerous waves of public hysteria. It might even promote a form of nonpartisan co-operation in the public interest.

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THURS.  
and  
FRIDAY



## BIEDKA SHUTS OUT CARDS; LANGHORNE VICTORIOUS, 5 TO 0

Redskins Move Into Second Place As Bristol Gets Only Four Hits

9 OF CARDINALS FANNED

Only Threatened To Score Once and That Was In First Inning

Ed Biedka pitched the Langhorne Redskins into second place in the lower division of the Lower Bucks County League when he limited Bristol High to but four measly hits and shut them out on the local field here yesterday afternoon, 5-0.

After having been handcuffed by Marty Phillips of Morrisville who shut out Bristol in the season's opener with but four hits to win, 3-0, the Cards seemed to have shaken their slump loose as they hit the ball rather freely in both the Bensalem and Newtown games. But yesterday they fell back into the rut again as the hitting bogged down.

The Redskin righthander whiffed nine Cardinal batters and never was in serious trouble at any time. In fact the only instance in which the home club even threatened to score was in the first when Ott Grimes slapped a triple to left and would have had a homer out of it except for the mere trifling that he failed to touch the plate in sliding across and was subsequently put out by catcher Lou Rubino on the relay from the outfield.

Langhorne (5) ab r h o a e  
Cloud lf 4 1 1 1 0 0  
Clark cf 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Mitchell cf 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Biedka p 3 0 1 0 2 0  
Gotwald ss 2 1 1 0 1 0  
Hastings 1b 2 1 1 0 2 0  
Rubino c 4 0 1 19 2 0  
Brunner 2b 2 0 0 2 1 0  
Slater 3b 1 1 0 0 0 0  
Nemec rf 3 1 2 0 0 0  
Tomlinson rf 0 0 0 1 0 0

Bristol (0) ab r h o a e  
Grimes 3b 2 0 0 1 1 0  
Pica ss 2 0 0 3 2 0  
Barouth 2b 1 0 0 2 1 0  
Sak lf 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Peterson cf 1 0 0 0 0 0  
Quigley rf 1 0 0 0 0 0  
DiAngelo rf cf 2 0 1 1 0 0  
Carter 1b 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Carpotti c 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Rotundo p 2 0 0 0 2 1

Innings:  
Langhorne 0 0 0 0 2 1 2-5  
Bristol 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-0  
Runs batted in: Mitchell, Gotwald, Hastings, Rubino. Three base hit: Barouth. Stolen bases: Cloud 2, Biedka 2. Hastings, Peterson. Double play: Brunner to Gotwald. Left on bases: Bristol 5; Langhorne 8. Struck out by Rotundo 7; Biedka 9. Base on balls: Rotundo 3. Passed balls: Carpotti, Rubino. Umpire: Calder. Time: 1:35. Score: Tomlinson. Attendance: 250 (approximate).

## FALLSINGTON MOVES INTO LEAGUE LEAD

BUCKINGHAM, May 1—In what will probably go down as the season's best mound dual, the Fallsington Falcons chalked up a 2-0 triumph over the Buckingham Buccaneers here yesterday afternoon and thereby stepped into undisputed possession of the league leadership in the upper section of the LBCL.

It was little Tom Purcell who registered the decision over the Bucs. And in so doing, he struck out seven and gave up but three hits. He was opposed by the leading hurler in the upper league last season, Bob Horton, star southpaw ace of the Bucs staff. Horton, too, hurled brilliant ball as he fanned 17 Falcon hitters and allowed but a trio of safeties to the Falcons.

Fallsington (2) ab r h o a e  
Lovett 1b 4 0 0 0 11 1  
Oser 2b 3 0 0 0 3 0  
Pelkner c 3 0 0 2 6 1 0  
Purcell p 2 0 0 0 2 0  
Mansman rf 3 0 0 0 1 0 0  
Doster ss 2 1 0 1 3 0 0  
Moon cf 1 1 1 0 2 0 0  
Monti lf 2 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Driscoll 3b 3 0 1 0 2 1

Buckingham (0)  
Franklin 2b 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Conner 3b 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Smith cf 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Horton p 2 0 0 0 1 0  
Werner ss 2 0 0 0 0 0  
Foster lf 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Elliott 1b 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Robbins c 2 0 1 1 0 0  
Fredericks rf 2 0 0 0 0 0

Innings:  
Fallsington 0 2 0 0 0 0-2  
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## Baseball Games Scheduled For Hulmeville Diamond

HULMEVILLE, May 1—The Twin-County Baseball League will open its season on the local diamond, Tuesday evening, the Hulmeville nine meeting Southampton players at 6:30.

On Friday evening of this week, Hulmeville will play the Bristol Odd Fellows, here, the diamond battle starting at 6:30 o'clock.

## BHS GIRLS BASEBALL OPENER POSTPONED AGAIN

It's getting to be monotonous. At least so it seems with coach Peg Royer's Bristol High girls softball team whose opening tilt of the 1940 season has been postponed for the third straight time. Scheduled to inaugurate the campaign at Richboro against Richboro High girls, on April 17, the tilt was postponed twice because of rain and cold weather. Last week their opener with Langhorne was moved back because Langhorne's seniors were in Washington. Now it's Bristol's seniors who are vacationing in the Capital City. As a result their opener scheduled here today against Southampton has been moved back to May 13th.

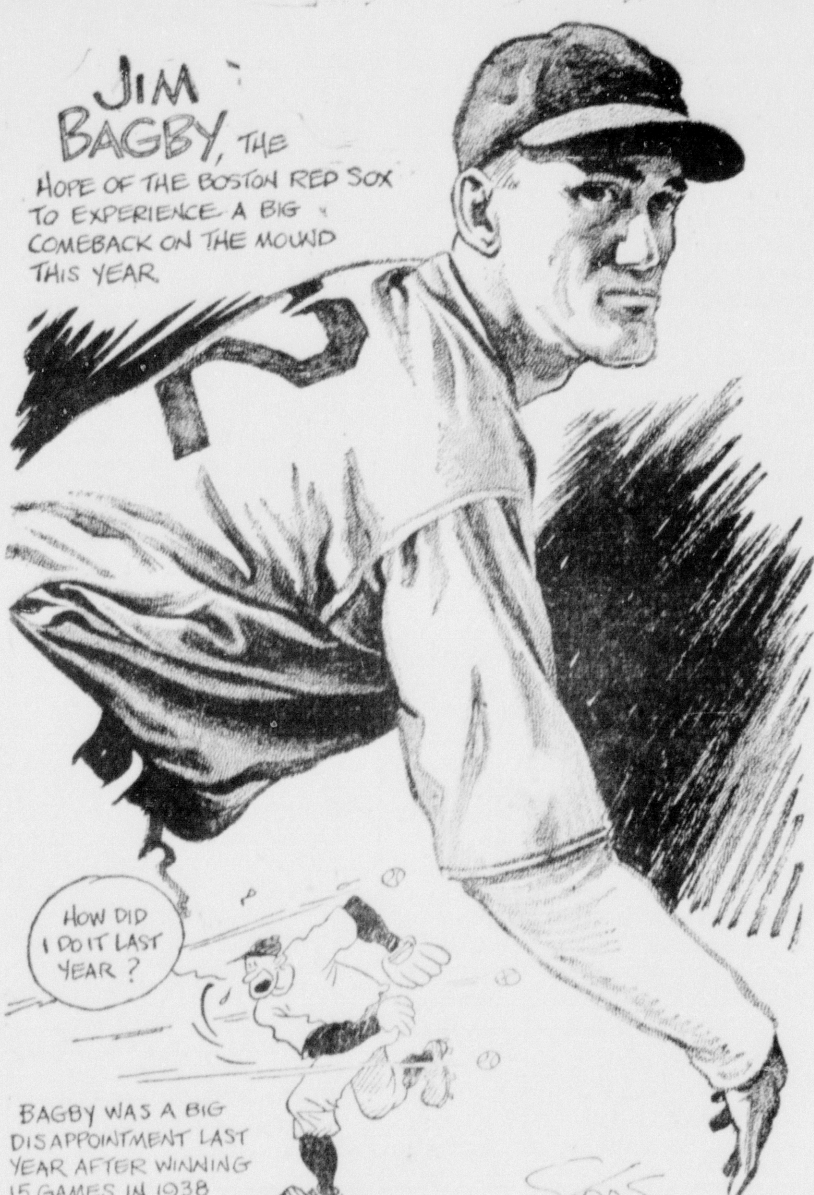
ST. LOUIS—(INS)—A pretty dull night on the St. Louis crime front recently.

Only three reports were turned in at the Central District Police Station at Police Headquarters, usually a busy place.

Two reports were on cases of drunkenness on the streets and the third was from a patrolman asking for a dog off.

## HOPE OF SOX

By Jack Sords



BAGBY WAS A BIG DISAPPOINTMENT LAST YEAR AFTER WINNING 15 GAMES IN 1938

## SOFTBALL LEAGUE TO OPEN SEASON MAY 21ST

The Bristol Community Softball League will officially open its season, Monday evening, May 21. This was definitely decided at a meeting of the circuit held last night in the Franklin A. C. with President Daniel DiLorenzo presiding.

The League was divided into two sections. The Upper division will take in the following teams: Fifth Ward, DiRenzo's, Voltz-Texaco, Manhattan, Wilson Distillery, Superior Zinc, Madison and Knights of Columbus. The Lower section takes in: Mill Street Boys' Club, Local 404, Franklin, St. Ann's, P. O. S. of A., Grundy's, Third Ward and Odd Fellows.

The circuit is sponsored by the Education and Recreation department of the WPA. The Recreation leader for the project is Samuel Moffo who will be in full charge of the loop after the season gets under way.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday night, May 7.

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## ALL-STAR EXHIBITION OF GOLFING SCHEDULED

LANGHORNE, May 1—An all-star exhibition match has been arranged by Al MacDonald, club "pro" at the Bucks County Country Club, here, for next Saturday.

Two prominent golfers from South America are scheduled in the match. MacDonald will team up with Lawson Little, former American and British Amateur Champion, against Enriquez Bartalino, P. G. A. champion of South America, and Martine Pose, South American Open Champion.

Little has played with MacDonald on several occasions and this will mark his second appearance here. In his last appearance he teamed with MacDonald in beating Jimmy Hines and Sammy Sneed. Since turning "pro"

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recently. Little has played good golf. Playing the Winter circuit, he took first money in three matches.

The South American golfers played against Henry Picard, Paul Runyon and Harold Jug McSpaden when they won their titles at the Buenos Aires Country Club, and Pose is also connected with the club. The South Americans are playing under the management of Paul Runyon.

The local match will begin at two p. m.

## Sentenced To Pay Prosecution Costs and Restore Goods

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ship, and John Augustine, of Conshohocken, were members of the chicken-stealing party which stole 109 chickens October 5 from Harvey Carl, who lives on a farm near Geryville, in Bucks county.

Jones, who was the first to take the stand, said he met Hastings who asked him "whether he would like to make a couple of dollars." John Augustine and Dize got the chickens," said Jones.

Jones, after being questioned by District Attorney Edward G. Biester, admitted that he and Moriarty served six months in the Montgomery County Prison for driving an automobile without the owner's consent.

Jones and Moriarty were previously in trouble because of the theft of cue balls from a bowling alley.

"Why did you steal the chickens?" Judge Keller asked the young defendant.

"We were doing that for devilment," said Jones.

Moriarty, whose testimony corroborated that of Jones, said he was a former C. C. C. boy and was home about three weeks when he got into trouble.

Although the two boys were members of a chicken stealing gang which operated in Montgomery and Bucks counties, Montgomery County Detective Gleason testified that Jones and Moriarty had not stolen any chickens in Montgomery county. They were brought to the County Prison here April 9.

"Do not make an application for parole until your minimum sentence has expired," said Judge Keller to the young men.

Wilmer Livezey, Cherry street, Willow Grove, who pleaded guilty to drunken driving before President Judge Keller, was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution and serve 30 days in the County Prison.

Livezey, an Abington Hospital handyman, was arrested by Private Kenneth E. Stumpf, of the Doylestown sub-station of the Penna. Motor Police, April 8, when his car collided

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with a telephone pole near Neshaminy. Livezey, who was slightly injured, was accompanied by a friend who also was intoxicated. Both suffered slight cuts. The defendant was pronounced unfit to drive a car by Dr. H. T. Crough, of Doylestown.

The defendant, who has been in prison here for three weeks, said he had a little family trouble and started to drink again. He was in previous trouble in 1936.

Alfred L. Long, Trenton Negro, who pleaded guilty to adultery, was sentenced by Judge Calvin S. Boyer to serve not less than six months nor more than a year. County Detective Anthony Russo and Private F. J. Christman, of the South Langhorne sub-station of the Penna. Motor Police, investigated the case.

David Hampton, Jr., 19, 152 Wood street, this place, who pleaded guilty before Judge Calvin S. Boyer on a charge of open lewdness, was committed to the Penna. State Industrial School at Huntingdon.

## EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breme and son Paul, of Leesburg, N. J., spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swan.

## Croydon Tot Wins Prize in Photo Contest

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enth, Margie Dutton, 316 Wood street, three years old; eighth, Philip Bianco, 2215 Wilson avenue, four years old; ninth, Louise Jones, 1044 Trenton avenue, two years old; tenth, Betty Irwin, 314 Woodside avenue, Edgely, Pa., four years old.

The Nichols Studio, official contest photographer, will present as a prize an 11x14 oil colored portrait, handsomely mounted and framed, of the winner. Mr. Nichols states that the retail value of this gift is \$10.

The photos were judged by Samuel Oxman, a well-known artist and portrait painter, Philadelphia; Ulrik Smith, an official of the Philadelphia Branch of Paramount Pictures; Harry

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## Democratic Feuds Likely To Boil Over

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gressman Guy Swope, now auditor general of Puerto Rico; Ralph M. Bashore, secretary of the Democratic State Committee; and public utility commissioner Thomas C. Buchanan.

Ross and Wagner will discuss the matter with Senator Guffy leaders at a meeting being held tomorrow at Harrisburg.

Anti-Guffy leaders are particularly perturbed by reports that the Senator is prepared to set up his own organization in the event the regular one will not "play ball" with him. There are Guffy chairmen now in every county.

The Guffy plan, which is expected to undergo a thorough threshing over at tomorrow's meeting, is said to contemplate the election of five Guffy campaign regional directors as vice-chairmen at the state committee meeting. These would pass upon the patronage requests of the various county leaders and be authorized to override them if necessary.

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The five regional directors are Thomas E. Kennedy, Hazleton, former lieutenant governor; Patrick Fagan, Pittsburgh labor leader; Meredith Meyers, Lewistown; Judge John H. McCann, Cambria; and Frederick Wagner, Lancaster.

Lawrence said he would support the ticket chosen at the primary election regardless of what happened because, he said, "I am a straight party man and I have never cut a ticket in my life."

At the same time he emphasized that he was still "strictly in politics." "I'll probably never be out of politics until I'm out of the world," he commented.

Others who attended the anti-Guffy meeting were James J. Law, Luzerne county chairman; Matthew H. McCloskey, Philadelphia leader; and Oscar Dockard, chairman of the state finance committee.

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ST. LOUIS—(INS)—A pretty dull night on the St. Louis crime front recently.</